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or B. C. Heath,  
Parksville Ky.

## BOOTLEGGERS

We are in receipt of a copy of the McCreary County Advocate in which appears on the first page in most part Poems, entitled "The Bootlegger," which is fine. They are very interesting, especially the one by Mr. Trammell, as he quotes Hon. F. D. Sampson, Judge of the 34th Judicial District, we know Judge Sampson, have known him since he wore knee pants, and have watched his course with great precision. This is why we have always been for him, have tried as best we could to hold up his hands in his efforts to stamp out the illicit sale of intoxicating beverages. This he has succeeded in doing in Knox county, and if the people of his district will only stand by him, he will, as sure as there is a God, put bootleggers on the bum.

We publish herewith the poem written by Mr. Trammell:

### The Bootlegger

"Hee law, hee-law," "Blind Jack" is my name,  
I romp, I paw, I snort and sneeze,  
For I'm in the business of selling booze;  
But the courts are after me, they're on my track,  
I fear before long my business will slack.  
I'll change my name, take my home on my back,  
So my name no longer will be "Blind Jack."  
Oh! I look like a tramp, I look like a beggar;  
They call this type of "Jack" a bootlegger.  
But there is Old Sam, he'll land on my mug;  
It's sure a hard court, he's sure a rough judge,  
I was brought before him, then to Whitley City jail;  
Old Flen jerked a hard knot in the end of my tail.  
My credit's all gone, no money I've made;  
I've decided to quit the dodgast old trade.  
It won't do to sell liquor, it won't do to fudge;  
It's the wrong time for bootleggers while Sampson is judge.  
So farewell, Mr. Shepherd, goodbye, Mr. Joe,  
I've served my time for booting, and now for home I go;  
Before McCreary judges "Boozers" have no show,  
Goodbye, Flen D. Sampson, also, Mr. Ball—  
Award the prize to Trammell, for his poem's best of all.

### Boys, It Won't do to Talk

It was once a terrible crime to say anything derogatory to the King, and many times those who said anything that was not approved by the King lost his head under the guillotine, or that their offsprings be thrown under the crushing juggernaut.

We have in this proud land of ours what is supposed to be a free government, the Constitution under which we live, and boast of, guarantees the freedom of speech, freedom of press, and to hear our orators talk on the 4th day of July, one would think the freedom of the citizens of these United States of America, was secure, but, only Saturday, Nov. 13, 1915, George Burkitt lost his job as Assistant Postmaster at Winnetka, Ill., just because he had an opinion of his own, and expressed it, in saying that he believed that Prof. Woodrow Wilson, President, ought to have, out of respect for his wife, waited at least one year before announcing his engagement to marry another. This is indeed a grave offence, just to say that about a man who is only human, who is only the servant of the people, it is true he holds the highest office in the gift of the people, yet he is only their servant. But a terrible howl went up and the President saw that, although this is a small office, with a small salary, yet an error had been made and the President rightly had the gentleman restored to his position.

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## For Sale

# BIG OPPORTUNITY

## 1000 Acres of Land at a Sacrifice.

It is located in the South-east part of Liberty County, Florida, with the Appalachicola R. R., on the East side of it. It is also near the Ocklocknee River, a navigable stream which flows into the Gulf at Carabell. It is also about 20 miles from the Gulf coast, with the Appalachicola Bay near by. These are both fine harbors are rapidly becoming great shipping points for deep sea vessels. Tallahassee, the capital of the State is in the adjoining county of Leon, about twenty-five miles away to the Northeast.

This land is well situated for general farming, stock raising and fruit growing, as well as all kinds of trucking.

The soil is Norfolk sandy loam, considered the best soil in Florida. It is fine for cotton, corn, oats, peas, beans, velvet beans, sugar cane, potatoes, both sweet and Irish, melons, all kinds, all kinds of trucking, cabbage, kale lettuce, being grown and shipped the entire winter through.

This is the very heart of Pecan section, this popular nut is being grown through this section as nowhere else in the South, and with great profit to those who has gone into the industry. It is not generally known that this nut is very limited in the care that it can be grown successfully, and profitably. This section is about the center of its latitude.

Also figs are grown here with great profit, and is becoming a great industry through this section.

Also the Satsuma orange is grown here and even a hundred miles further north, which can stand a temperature of 15 degrees above zero.

It barely ever reaches freezing at this point, the climate is ideal, the breeze from the Gulf tempering the atmosphere, so that it never is too hot in Summer or too cold in Winter. There are more sun shiner days in January than there are in July in Kentucky, according to the weather bureau report.

This is not wet or overflow lands, it is practically level, just rolling enough to give good drainage. It is well watered for all farming and stock raising purposes and convenient to good transportation in all directions.

The price of this land is \$10.00 per acre in 10 acre tracts, 20 acre tracts, 30 acre tracts, 50 acre tracts or 100 acre tracts, while it lasts. I will sell on the following terms in order to give every boy and girl, man or woman a chance to own a home and a farm worth while. The terms are so easy that you can own it without missing the amount you pay. Terms as follows:—

One dollar per acre down, and fifty cents per acre per month till paid. Listen, suppose you buy 10 acres, it will cost you \$100, you pay \$10 each, and give eighteen notes of \$5 each due and payable from one month to eighteen months.

So study this proposition good before passing it up, and if you want a tract of valuable Sunny South land get it before it is too late. Deeds and contracts and a copy of this description will be furnished at The National Bank of John A. Black in the city of Barbourville or by calling on W. M. Jones, at Hotel Jones. You are cordially invited to make any inquiry you desire.

Respectfully,

**W. M. JONES, Owner.**

Barbourville,

Kentucky.

### Safety of The Nation

In a stirring address to a private part of newspaper men, J. Stuart Blackton, author and producer of the great preparedness film "The Battle Cry of Peace" said that the final salvation of the country would be up to the country newspaper. "If the rural newspaper the country weekly and the small town daily get behind the preparedness movement and demand action by Congress," Blackton said, "then we will be a good starter. Of course to get anywhere we will need a series of appropriations—a program for navy and army which, spread over a period of years, will give us eventually what protection we need. But if the small town newspaper refuses to call for preparedness, and prefers 'pork' instead, the movement will fail. The protection of America is in the hands of the country editor."

Mr. Blackton's speech for preparedness followed the viewing by newspaper men of the film "The Battle Cry of Peace," in which the author shows how helpless the United States would be in case of attack by a foreign foe. New York streets are bombarded, homes are attacked, women and children terrified and fathers taken out, lined up against a wall and shot. The handful of American soldiers are a joke to the invaders and enemy ships stand off our shores, out of range of our guns, and batter to pieces our coast defences. These possibilities are not without the basis of fact," said Mr. Blackton in his address. Instead of being a sleeping giant, we are a helpless babe. The dream of universal peace has been shattered by the European nations and will again be shattered. We have learned that nations will break solemn treaties when they think it to their advantage to do so. The world is but little different from what it was a thousand years ago. But we, in the democracy of the United States, are full partners. The responsibility of government and the salvation of the nation is on every citizen. Every citizen should be able to transfer himself into a soldier for the defense of his country. This is not imperialistic; it is the very essence of a democracy that would live."

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Steel rails are already being laid and the grade work is being pushed with diligence. Thousands of cross-ties are being prepared and placed along the line and everything connected with the work indicates that the city of Barbourville and the capital of Clay county will soon be connected by a standard gauge high class railroad. That will not only make the two towns better, but all the intervening country as well.

This railroad is a fore-runner of great industrial progress for this end of the State and especially for Barbourville and Knox county. It will be an outlet for millions of ears of fine bituminous coal and untold wealth in timber and bark and other woods. Clay county is one of the richest of the rich counties in Eastern Kentucky. Its wealth is unknown and untold. Its own citizens have little idea of the vast fortunes that will soon spring up, upon which other and greater fortunes will yet come. Barbourville will, perhaps, receive more benefit upon the construction of this new railroad than any other point. Located on the beautiful Cumberland River with an abundant water supply, natural gas and plenty of other fuel, Barbourville will be the metropolis of a great industrial center, and population and wealth will rapidly find lodgment in this broad valley. Already real estate values are doubling and new industries are starting, and everything about Barbourville is alive and on the move.

Our people are the most hospitable, big hearted, agreeable, to be found anywhere in the south; they are willing to make new friends and acquaintances, and to help the stranger who casts his lot with us. We want, we invite new citizens and new capital, and here give assurance that each and all shall not only be treated fair but shall find encouragement and help in the transaction of business and the development of new enterprise.

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Cincinnati, O.—Archbishop Moeller, of the Roman Catholic church, in a statement to the Ohio Temperance society, says he is opposed to prohibition of the liquor traffic and believes that a well regulated saloon is not undesirable.

### OUR FAULT

The Republicans of Knox County alone could have elected Edwin P. Morrow Governor of this Commonwealth if they had only taken the trouble to have gone to the polls and voted on Nov. 2, 1915. A great many thought that the Republican ticket had no chance of winning, and remained away from the polls, but now Mr. Stanley claims his election by only 366, which could easily have been overcome by the one thousand Republicans in Knox County, who stayed at home. This is likewise true in almost all the counties in the mountains of Kentucky. The vote did not come out. Since the mining industry has developed in Knox, Whitley, Bell Harlan and other mountain counties, the Republican vote has increased immensely. The Eleventh District has never polled its full vote, it does not really know its strength, if all the Republicans in the Eleventh District should go to the polls and vote, the majority would be sufficient to overcome the Democratic vote in the first, second, third, fourth, sixth and seventh Congressional Districts of Kentucky.

Next year we have a chance to elect a President of the United States; another chance to return to Republican rule and unhorse Woodrow Wilson and bid farewell to Democratic hard times. Will we take advantage of the opportunity? God knows everybody in the District wants to be rid of Woodrow Wilson, and would like to see business prosper and employment plentiful. But will the Republicans in this end of the State take the trouble to go to the polls and exercise the highest privilege of freeman and help to put old Kentucky in the Republican columns where she belongs.

That Edwin P. Morrow was elected Governor of Kentucky on the 2nd of November no honest man in Kentucky doubts it. The manipulation of the returns in the Democratic Counties of McCracken and Jefferson can not be defended by anybody. The will of the people has been set at naught. A young man of sterling worth and unusual ability has been robbed of the highest office in the Commonwealth. And, yet we tamely submit. It is an affront to every citizen, it is a disfranchisement of more than half the voters of the Commonwealth. While they have been permitted to vote, their vote has not been counted; has been thrown out, and their wishes disregarded. This is the third time in the last fifteen years that the man elected Governor of the State, was denied the office, peoples will, over-ridden and the thugs and rough-necks have prevailed. Will freemen longer endure these outrages? Will Kentuckians, worthy of the name, tamely submit to these outrages? If so, how long? Oh, Lord, how long?

The friends of Judge Sampson are very proud of the fact he had no opposition for re-election to the Circuit Bench, either in the primary or the General election. In 1911 he had opposition both in the primary and in the general election, but came out triumphantly, and went on the bench in November of that year.

He began to initiate reforms. The second day he was on the bench he discharged a whole jury in the Whitley Circuit Court, because they willfully disregarded the evidence and the law in the trial of a bootlegger, who was running an open joint for the sale of intoxicating liquors in a local option territory. The jury found this very guilty person, not guilty. He had a new jury summoned that was willing to perform their duty. He impressed the jurors that courts were not organized for the protection of crime, or white washing of the guilty, but for the enforcement of the law. At that time there was a large number of "Swinky" joints scattered throughout the District. In short order they were closed up and the vandals were in jail.

He has instituted many other reforms. Among them that of selecting new jurors every, or every two weeks, and thus passing around the service among the good citizens, and enabling the people to keep a closer watch upon their officers. Drunkenness in office is no longer indulged. Drunken officers used to disgrace the District. Thing of the past, other reforms have been instituted.

Now, the friends of Judge Sampson are urging that he should be promoted to the Appellate bench, there is not a man in the District who could afford to oppose his elevation. A Judge of the Kentucky Court of Appeals from this District will be elected next year, and no better man could be selected. We predict that if he becomes a candidate he will walk away with the Republican nomination.

### ANNUAL MEETING OF THE EDUCATIONAL AND INDUSTRIAL ASSOCIATION OF THE UPPER CUMBERLAND

Corbin, Ky., November 26 and 27.  
The following are the names of a few of the speakers:

(FRIDAY)

Dr. J. G. Crabbe, "Educational outlook in Kentucky," V. O. Gilbert, State Supt., "Kentucky Schools," Cora Wilson Stewart, "Moonlight Schools," Dr. Goodell Frost, "Good Citizenship."

SATURDAY.

Dr. E. E. Wood, "Problems of Amusements," Geoffrey Morgan, "County Agent and Rural Teacher's," Dr. E. T. Frankling, "Manuel Training," Pres. Barker, State University, "Education."

All Teachers attending this meeting will be given credit for Friday November 26.  
To all Teachers who can do so, bring an exhibit of your work done in the class room.

Yours truly,  
W. W. Evans, Supt.